

Our Annual Stock Taking Sale of Remnants and Odd Lots

During this sale, which will continue all next week, you will find an opportunity to purchase many items of seasonable merchandise in odd lots and broken lines at—in almost every instance—price reductions of nearly one-half.

It is for your interest to investigate if you want to save a dollar.

Odd Lots

One lot Wool Dress Goods, including several colors, to close,one-half price

One lot Dress Gingham, 15c value, odd patterns, to close, per yard,9c

One lot Wash Goods, including Poplins, New Cloths and Gabardines, 25c quality, to close, per yard,15c

One lot Kimono Flannel, light and dark patterns, 25c quality, to close, yd., 12 1/2c

One lot Curtain Scrims in full pieces, as many yards as you wish, 15c value, to close, per yard,9c

One small lot Scrim Curtains with lace edges, 2 1-6 yards long, 50c value, to close, per pair,35c

Odd pieces and short lengths of Curtain Scrims at just,one-half price

Remnants of Silks, Remnants of Wool Goods, etc., all measured and marked at nearly half price. Look them over.

One lot Silks, both plain and fancy colors, originally priced at 87c and \$1.00, to close at, per yard,59c

One lot Children's Wool Hosiery, 25c quality, broken sizes, to close, pair, 19c

Ladies' Garments

One lot Ladies' Coats, original values up to \$18.00; Sale Price\$9.50

One lot Ladies' Coats, original values up to \$15.00; Sale Price\$6.98

One lot odd Coats, to close at,\$3.98 (Good warm garments, worth three times this amount.)

All our Ladies' Suits to close at just one-half price

Furs

at 1-4 Off

This includes all of this season's new-est Muffs, Scarfs and Sets.

Several Fur Coats, original value \$65.00, to close at\$49.00

A few odd Fur Coats at about one-half price

One lot Ladies' Corsets to close, pr., 79c Original values up to \$1.50.

New lots will be added each day as we uncover them in our annual inventory. Remember that merchandise bought now at these prices means a tremendous saving to you in the face of rapidly advancing prices.

The Homer Fitts Co.

BARRE DAILY TIMES

FRIDAY, JANUARY 19, 1917.

The Weather

Fair and continued cold to-night; Saturday probably snow flurries with rising temperature; fresh west winds.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Ladies' suits one-half price at Fitts'. "The Shielding Shadow" at the Bijou to-day.—adv.

Watch for "The Wishing Ring" at the opera house.—adv.

Michael McDonald has returned to the city, after passing several days in Boston and vicinity on business.

Miss Emma McDonald has returned to her home in Barre, after making an extended stay with relatives in Northfield.

The condition of William Wylie, Jr., who recently submitted to an operation for appendicitis at the City Hospital, continues to improve steadily.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hood are the parents of a son born to them this morning at their home on the banks of Stevens branch at North Barre.

Alexander Findley, who has been employed here in the granite industry for several months, left yesterday for Montreal, P. Q., where he expects to be employed.

Miss Mildred Gagon of Westerville passed through the city this morning while on her way to Rouses Point, N. Y., where she is to pass the remainder of the month with relatives.

You can't join this club without receiving some benefit. Try a Christmas club this year at the Barre Savings Bank & Trust Co. Open Saturday and Monday evenings from 7 to 8 o'clock.

Deputy Sheriff E. E. Campbell of Waterbury was a business visitor in the city to-day and is remaining in Barre to attend the coronial of Sunday temple, No. 140, D. O. K. K. in Clan Gordon hall this evening.

Joseph Ricciardi, who was arraigned before Magistrate H. W. Scott in city court earlier in the week on a breach of the peace charge, appeared in court Thursday afternoon, reversed his original plea of not guilty, and paid a fine of \$1 and costs.

The parish supper served by the women of the Church of the Good Shepherd last evening was fairly well attended. Because of the absence of a number of members who had planned to be present, the organization of a men's club was deferred to another meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Miner have gone to Jeffersonville, where they were called by the illness and death of F. A. Jacques, a relative of Mrs. Miner, whose death occurred Wednesday, after a two years' illness of dropsy. Mr. Jacques had been a frequent visitor in Barre and made many acquaintances during his occasional sojourns in the city. Funeral services will be held in Jeffersonville Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment will be made in the village cemetery.

At least a score and possibly more men and women who are known in Vermont newspaperdom to-day will be present at Hotel Barre this evening for the annual meeting and banquet of the Vermont Press association. Howard Hindley of the Rutland Herald is president of the association and through him arrangements have been completed for serving a dinner to the newspaper men and their guests at 7:30 o'clock. The business meeting will be held during the afternoon.

At the annual meeting of the East Barre singing society in the Foresters' hall at East Barre last evening, the following officers were elected for the year: President, John Wilson; Vice-president, Paul Snow; Secretary, Miss Julia Sargent; Treasurer, Forrest Bellows; Leader, A. C. Dickey. Plans were discussed for the ensuing year and the registration of singers indicate that the society has a flourishing season ahead of it. The next meeting will be held in Foresters' hall Tuesday evening.

Among the guests arriving at Hotel Barre last night, and this morning were the following people: Robert H. Simonds of St. Johnsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dickens of Albany, M. J. Batchelder of Manchester, Mrs. William Taylor and Miss Emily Taylor of Derby, M. A. Prescott of Medford, Mass., J. O. Sheldon of Woodstock, G. A. Knapp of St. Johnsbury, James W. Hall of Boston, R. E. Roberts of Chicago, Spencer W. Hinds of Burlington, Harry H. Lane of Springfield, H. H. Carroll and J. H. Atherton of Burlington, F. G. Quinn of Providence, R. I., R. P. Shaw of Bethel, and Katie Ford of Trenton, N. J.

The body of Mrs. Maud Hill, a former resident of Montpelier, whose death occurred in Boulder, Col., Saturday afternoon, will not leave Colorado until Monday, according to advices received here this forenoon by John E. Tasse of South Main street, a brother-in-law of the deceased. The remains will be accompanied by Mrs. Tasse, who spent three months with her sister immediately before her death, and another sister, Miss Annie Hale of Cambridge, Mass. The funeral party will also include Harold and Gladys Hill, children of the deceased, who are coming to Vermont to make their home. The delay in shipping the remains was occasioned by a desire on the part of the relatives to settle Mrs. Hill's affairs in Colorado before leaving for Vermont.

Some of the mystery surrounding the discovery of a kit of granitecutter's tools, trousers, cap and a tin cup on the ice in Stevens branch just north of the Prospect street bridge is cleared away by a letter received yesterday by Chief Sinclair from W. C. White, a Northfield attorney, who, in the interests of his client, John Yacovona, is seeking a tool kit which the stonecutter shipped by express from Boston last August. The kit, which was consigned to Northfield, apparently never reached its destination and a careful search by the railroad companies, the Boston & Maine and the Central Vermont, failed to disclose any clues that would tend to establish its whereabouts. The name of the owner, as furnished by Atty. White, and an address, scarcely legible, on the tool kit at police headquarters seem to tally pretty well and the authorities here are fairly certain that the kit is the property of Yacovona. A few days ago a man called at the office of Troy & Holden and attempted to dispose of six bush hammers. He took them from a kit that has been identified as the one found on the ice last Wednesday. The police have a description of the man who is supposed to know something of the whereabouts of the kit since it was shipped from Boston.

Regular communication of Granite lodge, No. 25, F. and A. M., Masonic hall Friday, Jan. 19, at 7 p. m. Discourse of business and work. M. M. Degroot. Per order W. M.

WANTED—To buy old chairs, second-hand points, etc.; will pay good prices; E. Fernand, Montpelier, Vt.; tel. 283-1. 28113

Union Dry Goods Company

Saturday Will Be the Big Day of THE JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

The opportunities to save on desirable goods that you need will not occur again for some time to come. Buy all the Dry Goods you can use, for much higher prices will surely follow.

A Great Clearance of Suits

LADIES' AND MISSES SUITS—Formerly sold at \$17.50Sale Price \$8.75

ALL-WOOL SUITS—Formerly sold at \$19.50Sale Price \$10.75

STYLISH SUITS—Formerly sold at \$22.50Sale Price \$12.75

HIGH-GRADE SUITS—Formerly sold at \$25.00Sale Price \$14.75

Stylish Coats at Big Reductions to Close Out at Once

LADIES' AND MISSES' ALL-WOOL COATS—Regular values to \$12.50Sale Price \$7.95

LADIES' AND MISSES' ALL-WOOL COATS—Regular values to \$16.50Sale Price \$9.75

STYLISH COAT MODELS—Regular values to \$19.50Sale Price \$12.75

HANDSOME COAT MODELS—Regular values \$22.50 and \$25.00Sale Price \$14.75

Children's Coats at Clearance Prices

CHILDREN'S COATS—One lot—Regular values to \$3.00Clearance Price \$1.98

CHILDREN'S COATS—One lot—Regular values to \$5.98Clearance Price \$3.98

CHILDREN'S COATS—One lot—Regular values to \$9.50Clearance Price \$5.98

All Our Furs at 25% Discount

Every piece of Fur must be sold at once—all new goods and the season's best styles. MUFFS, SETS, ETC., AT ONE-QUARTER OFF.

GIRLS' WOOL DRESSES, sizes from 6 to 14 years, in this big sale at 25 per cent discount. BIG SALE of our regular \$1.00 WAISTS at79c each

ALL OUR REGULAR \$2.25 SILK WAISTS at\$1.98 each

ALL OUR REGULAR \$3.50 SILK WAISTS at2.98 each

ALL OUR REGULAR \$5.00 SILK WAISTS at3.98 each

REGULAR \$1.00 LADIES' OUTING GOWNSSale Price 89c

REGULAR \$1.00 LADIES' FLANNELETTE KIMONOSSale Price 85c

REGULAR \$1.50 LADIES' FLANNELETTE KIMONOSSale Price \$1.19

SALE OF BATH ROBE BLANKETS—Regular prices \$3.00 and \$3.50Sale Price \$2.49

KIMONO FLANNELETES—Regular value 17cSale Price 12 1-2c

Clearance Sale Prices on Table Damask, Outings, Underwear, Wash Goods, Corsets, etc. Plan to do your Saturday shopping at this store, where you can save money.

THE UNION DRY GOODS COMPANY

191 North Main Street

Telephone 599-M

CLEARANCE SALE

We're going to clear this store of Winter Footwear, no matter what it costs us in lost dollars to accomplish our object!

Men's, Women's, Boy's and Children's Felt Shoes and Slippers and High-Cut Shoes that are the best Shoes made for cold weather and deep snow.

Many Shoes in this sale are right for any season of the year.

Now means a big interest on your investment.

Men's Felt High-Cut Shoes with sheep-skin lining, \$3.75 values for \$2.79, 3.50 values for \$2.19. Youths' and Boys' High-Cut Tan Shoes, \$2.50 quality for \$2.19; \$3.00 quality for \$2.69; \$4.00 quality for \$3.39.

Men's High-Cut Tan Shoes, \$4.00 quality for \$3.39; \$6.00 quality for \$5.19.

Men's Gun Metal and Tan, all good, comfortable shapes (not any pointed toes in this sale), broken lots—

\$3.50 quality for \$3.19 \$4.00 quality for \$3.39
\$4.50 quality for \$3.98 \$5.00 quality for \$4.48
\$5.50 quality for \$4.88 \$6.00 quality for \$5.39

A FEW SPECIALS ON THE TABLE AT ONE-HALF PRICE

Peoples Shoe Store

C. S. ANDREWS, Proprietor
Currier Block, Barre 14 State St., Montpelier

Some Cut Prices

We are closing our Fur Coats and the prices are very low.

Boys' Overcoats, sizes 4 to 17 years, exceptional values at the prices we are making.

Visor Knit Sweaters, all wool, at 25 per cent discount.

Boys' Suits, sizes 12 to 16 years, at one-half price.

Some Men's Overcoats and Suits at cut prices.

The Frank McWhorter Co.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Don't miss the stock-taking sale at Fitts'.

It will pay you to read Shea's shoe ad. on page 4.—adv.

The biggest bargains ever in the stock-taking sale at Fitts'.

Gilbert Bates of Moretown was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Claire Mesereau in a two-reel drama, "The Mantle of Deceit," at the Bijou to-day.—adv.

A social by the Christian Endeavor of the First Baptist church will be held Jan. 19 at 8 o'clock.

E. C. Brock of Washington street left this morning on a business trip to Newbury and Wells River.

Stanley F. Marsh of the East Montpelier road is spending a few days in Hartford, Conn., on business.

C. S. Andrews of Maple Grove is passing a few days in Boston on business connected with the People's Shoe store.

Mrs. Josie Stewart of the Morse block, who has been dangerously sick for the past two weeks, is reported to be much better.

Robert H. Simonds of St. Johnsbury, a member of the industrial accident board, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Mark L. Salter of Burlington arrived in the city to-day and will visit friends and relatives on Beckley street over the week end.

Mrs. Ralph F. Lowe of St. Johnsbury returned to her home to-day after making a visit of a week with friends and relatives in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McLaughlin, who have been visiting Barre relatives since New Year's left yesterday for their home in Jericho Center.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ross, who have been visiting relatives in Boston and Quincy, Mass., for a few weeks, have returned to their home in Barre.

Judson Mosier of Moira, N. Y., arrived in the city yesterday and will spend several days visiting at the home of Mrs. D. J. Cutler of Jefferson street.

Mrs. Ida Denmore of North Main street, who has been confined to the house during the past six weeks on account of a severe case of grip, was able to be out of doors yesterday for the first time since her illness.

The Sunday school committee of the Universalist church have arranged for a social gathering of the members of the Sunday school Saturday afternoon from 2:30 to 5 o'clock. It is hoped that all the members will be present.

A news dispatch in one of the Boston papers yesterday relating the elopement of Miss Ruth Morse of Hartford, Conn., and Thomas P. Hoyle, also of Hartford, will be of interest to Barre people, as K. W. Morse, the girl's father, was formerly proprietor of the City hotel in Barre. The item reads as follows: "Joint investigation by two families affected disclosed to-day that a Hartford bank clerk has eloped with a sophomore at Mt. Holyoke college. Miss Ruth Morse, the 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Morse of 391 Seymour street, Hartford, started back for college after the holidays last Friday and she has not reached there yet. Thomas P. Hoyle of 28 Capitol avenue, Hartford, formerly of Norwich, Conn., started for his desk at the First National bank Saturday morning, but never arrived. A letter from him Wednesday informed his roommate that 'by the time you receive this letter, I will be married and on my way west.' It is understood that the Morse family also have received some sort of announcement from their daughter that she has married Hoyle, but they will not talk about it. At the registrar office at Mt. Holyoke college Wednesday night the reply to an inquiry was, 'We have nothing to say on that subject.' It was reported that the bank officials received Hoyle's resignation Wednesday evening together with the news that he is en route to the golden west with his youthful bride."

TALK OF THE TOWN

Scrim curtains 35c pair at Fitts'.

Rufus G. Robinson was a business visitor in Burlington yesterday.

Charles Flint of Church street, who has been detained from his duties as repair man at the Perry garage on account of a felon on his right hand, left yesterday for Washington, where he will spend the next few days at the home of his parents.

To-night the members of the senior class of Spaulding high school will leave for Plainfield, where they will take supper at the Bancroft inn, and another crowd, members of the sophomore class, will leave for Washington, where they will hold their annual festivities.

The better kind of chocolates, our delicious home-made dainties in fifteen different varieties. These tid-bits are yours on Saturday only at 29 cents the pound. Get acquainted with the difference between home-made confectioneries and stock kind. Laws' Candy Store.

PLAINFIELD.

The Mothers' club of the south district met Thursday with Mrs. Lancelotti. The club voted thanks to all who helped so generously in the Christmas celebration. The meetings are to be held monthly during the remainder of the winter. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Will Davis, Feb. 15, at 11 a. m.

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SPECIAL SALE for this week only

Clark's Foot Warmers

Regular \$2.25 style, at \$1.89
Regular 2.00 style, at 1.69
Regular 1.50 style, at 1.19
Genuine Clark Coal for same, 1 dozen boxes \$1.00, this sale, at - - - 75c
Buy now and save money.

C. W. Averill & Co.

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Barre, Vermont